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Dozen, Which Pleases the President.

BLUE AND GRAY PAIR IN CARRIAGES

Sight Gratifies Roosevelt and He Greets Each As 'Comrade." Applauds Governor Davis's Tribute to Southern Women - Liked "Rebel Yell."

(By Associated Press.)

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., October 25. President Roosevelt spent seven crowded hours in and around Little Rock to-day, and his journey from Fort Logan H Root, on the north side of the Arkansa River, to the city park, in Little Rock, was marked by enthusiastic demonstra who lined the streets. While in Little Rock the President delivered tw ches, in one of which he denounced eliciting hearty applause.

After the President's address befor 0,000 persons in the city park at Little Rock, the party was taken to the Albert Rock Island station to return to

Governor Jefferson Davis was the first to greet the President when the latter left the train this morning at Big Rock. A reception committee, which included United States Senators James H. Berry and James B. Clarke. Mayor W. E. Lenon and President George W. Rogers, of the Little Rock Board of Trade, and twenty other preminent citizens, united y other prominent citizens, united the Governor in welcoming the chief

the President left the officers of honor, composed of twelve Union army veterans, headed by Colonel A. S. Fowler, headed by former Governor Daniel W

Blue and Gray Parade.

This guard had met the presidential party and accompanied it to the army post. They rode in pairs, each former Confederate by the side of a Federal army veteran. Each of the veterans was given a verbal greeting by the President

on a verbal greeting by the President, o remarked on approaching the group, intlemen, it does me good to see the and the gray riding together." e called each veteran "comrade." is the presidential party reached the ansas River bridge the blowing of im whistles was the signal for cheerin Little Rock, whose principal thorhare, Main Street, was picturesquely orated with flags and bunting. The orated with flags and bunting. great outpouring of people was evidence that the cloudiness and cool weather could not interfere with the popular wel-From all parts of Arkansas pe come to greet the President.

Dozen Doves of Peace. cheering and the President smiled.

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The exercises at the city park opened at 11:30 o'clock. Governor Davis delivered an address of welcome, in which he drew a word picture of the resources of Arkansas, touched lightly on the race question and assured the President that the people of Arkansas were glad he had come among them. The Governor's tribute to Southern women was applauded by the President. When reference was made by Governor Davis to the famous "rebel vell" the proceedings were inter-"rebel yell" the proceedings were inter-rupted by a manifest desire on the part f the many in the crowd to give a sem-lance of this yell. The President seemed pleased with the effort. The President spoke supbstantially as

Crush All Crooks.

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"Thank heaven, we are free now from all the danger of territorial antagonisms. Now we must see that there shall never come any antagonisms of the classes or antagonisms between capital and labor, Treat each man according to his worth as a man. Don't hold for or against him is rich and crooked hold it against him is rich and crooked hold it against him if not rich but crooked, then hold it against him. But if he is a square man stand by him. District all who would have any one class placed before my other, Other republies have fallen because of the unscrupulous rich or the unscrupulous poor who gained ascendency, who subtsituted loyally to class for loyally to the people as a whole."

Attacks Lynch Law.

Referring to the race problem, to which Governor Davis had alluded, the President said:

dent said:

"The worst enemy of the negro race is the negro criminal, and above all, the criminal of the hideous type, so often hideously avenged. Every respectable colored man owes a duty to himself and to his race to hunt down that criminal. Now, as to the white man's side, now, to avenge one hideous crime by another is to reduce the avenger to the bestial level. Another thing which makes this lynch law so abhorrent is that three-fourths of the crimes for which it is invoked are for others than that against the women of the country. Governor, you and I, and all others in authority, owe it to our people to drive out the reproach and the menace of lynch law in the United States. women of the country. Governor, and I, and all others in authority, in the construction of the Mutual bullation of the differences of typen law in Juited States.

In the construction of the Mutual bullation across the street, will be employed up through the third story, and massive pithrough the third story, and massive pithrough the third story, and massive pithrough the sugestion of colonial architecture. The structure will be fire-proof throughout and the entire interior rebuilt and the plan by which the differences of tariff and the Continues on Ninth Page.

the United States.
"We can afford to be divided on questions of mere partisanship, for comparatively, the differences of tariff and the

CORONER'S JURY IN PERKINS CASE

Little Rock Liberates a Crisis Will Be Reached To-morrow When Inquest is Held.

ALL EXPECTANCY OVER THE RESULT

Police Are Not Talking and 'Are As Much in the Dark, Apparently, As the Public. Coroner Taylor Found Traces

of Mercury.

temission of the sphinx-like slience ob Hill polsoning mystery yesterday.

gress of the investigations made will at this time be revealed. What the day's work will bring forth it is impossible to say and difficult to predict. It is prac-tically certain that the verdict will de-clare the children of the Perkins woman were poisoned. Last night it seemed un the situation, but at the present writing it does not appear probable that the long-awaied and much-heralded arrest will be made to-morrow.

Result of Investigation.

While official statements of any sort

absolutely correct, and purporting to giv

This understanding of the results of the coroner's investigation is not officially confirmed. It appears likely, neverthe-lass, from inquiries carefully made, that less, from inquiries carefully made, that the report to be given to the jury to-morrow will be of such character as to warrant a verdict of death by poisoning. To indicate in what manner this poison was administered and, more particularly, to bring a charge of murder against any person, causing the isuance of a warrant,

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struction of Hanewinckel

John T. Wilson, builder of this city,

the contract for remodeling and recon-

structing the Hanewinkle structure at the northeast corner of Main and Ninth Streets.

The contract calls for a finished build-

ing in five months, from November 1st.

The Hanewinkle building is to lose all

resemblance of isself, the reconstruction

amounting to a new structure so far as the Main Street appearance is con-cerned. Indiana sandstone, such as used in the construction of the Mutual build-

/ Building.

ON BANK BUILDING

TO SPEND LARGE SUM

THE BATTLE OF THE CRATER AND THE CHARGE OF MAHONE'S BRIGADE



WOMAN 34 YEARS IS NOW A MAN

Start to Grow a Mustache.

Constant Fight to Keep in Girl's Ways.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NEW YORK, October 25.—After living thirty-four years in the belief that she was a woman, acquiring all a woman's and associations, educated and brought up as a woman, Miss May Best, who resides in an exclusive district of Brooklyn, has been told by her physician that she is a man, and must adopt man's ways and mannerisms.

Mr. Best, as he must now be called masculine inclinations, the young person

He will leave Brooklyn, and live some-where in the West. He is wealthy, and does not need to worrk regarding earn-

shave occasionally and adopt other pe-cultarities distinctively belonging to

CHARLOTTE VISITED BY A SERIOUS FIRE

cury. These evidences refer to the effects caused by the poison before it had been romited out. In numbers of cases, death by poisoning has been clearly established where there was actually no "trace" whatsoever of the poison itself.

Police Keeping Quiet.

This understanding of the results of the coroner's investigation is not officially These evidences refer to the effects extent of \$59,000. Half a block, between

To Play Richmond College.

"(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
FORK UNION, VA., October 25.—There
will be a holly contested game of fot-ball here next Saturday between the Fork Union Academy eleven and the Richmond College second team. A large crowd is expected. The academy players are in expected. The academy players are in fine condition, and Manager Sutherland is now getting on the finishing touches,

JOEL W. DANIEL BUN OVER AND KILLED

Contract Awarded for Recon-Prominent Martinsville Tobacco Manufacturer Meets Death in West Virginia. The Bank of Richmond has given to

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
MARTINSVILLE, VA., Oct. 25.—Joel W. Daniel, prominent Martinsville tobac conist, senior member of the firm of J W. Daniel Tobacco Company, was struc by a Norfolk and Western freight train near Powhatan, W. Va., this morning about 11 o'clock and instantly killed. His mother and one brother, P. D. Daniel, reside here. His wife is now in Washington, D. C. He has a sister, Mrs. S. A, Anderson, Hying in Richmond, and two other brothers. L. D. Daniel, of Roanoke, and R. E. Daniel, of South Hill, Va.

Honney, and Holl, Yas.

The remains will reach here to-morrow morning, and the funeral probably take place in the afternoon. Mr. Daniel at the time of his death was traveling in West, Virginia in the interest of his firm. He was about forty-five years old, and one of the most respected citizens firm. He was about forty-five yeared one of the most respected of and business men of Martinsville.

GREAT VIRGINIA RAILROAD DEAL

'Miss" Best, of Virginia, Will Pittsburg and Lake Erie Purchases Little Kanawha Lands and Railroads.

HE WAS ALWAYS MASCULINE RAILWAY THROUGH VIRGINIA

Mr.-Miss Best in Early Life Had | Sale Indicates That There Will | Grace Street Property Deeded to Be a Direct Co-operation With the C. and O.

> (By Associated Press.) CINCINNATI, OHIO, October 25 .- The Times-Star to-day published the follow

"The Pittsburg and Lake Eric Railroad Company has purchased the Little Kawhich are in litigation in the United States Circuit Court of Appeals in Cin-cinnati. The Times-Star has absolute authority on this point. The sale was made by Joseph Ramsey, Jr., former president of the Wabash system. Mr. Ramsey and George Gould did not differ on this proposition.

The Pittsburg and Lake Eric is a Van coal field through Pittsburg. The severa of the Little Kanawha will be used by th

Who Had Right to Sell?

(By Associated Press.) CINCINNATI, OHIO, October court to-day. Over \$8,000,000 is in to well in the contest. George J. Gould and Jaseph Ramsey, Jr., recent rivals for control of the Wabash system, appear as defend-

of the Wabash system, appear as defendants, but each has separate counsel.

The plaintiff is John S, Jones, of Chicago, who subscribed \$300,000 to the Southern, who asks for the appointment of a receiver for the property. The coal holdings of this syndicate include 50,000 acres near Fairmont and 35,000 acres in Gilmer, Braxton and Lewis counties.

The lines of railroad immediately concerned are the Little Kanawha, the Parkersburg Bridge and Terminal Company,

the Burnsville and Eastern and the Buck nannon and Northern, the Belington and Northern, the Zanesville, Marietta and Parkersburg, and the Marietta, Columb Parkersburg, and the Marletta, Columbus and Cleveland. The plaintiff alleges that the plan was to make a continuous line of railroad of these integrals to supply outside markets from their coal holdings.

Mr. Jones alleges that the money has been squandered and that Mr. Ramsey has built the Green County Railroad, in which Mr. Gould did not join, but which Mr. Ramsey is endeavoring to sell at a price harassing to the other properties of this company, the whole combination being lumped.

was \$3,000,000, Mr. Ramsey's \$300,000, and other defendants, W. E. Guy, \$300,000; J. T. Blair, \$100,000, and E. D. Fulton, \$100,-000. Plaintiff states he dear Mr. Gould's subscription to the scheme 000. Plaintiff states he does not know other syndicate subscriptions, but does believe seventy per cent, thereof has no been subscribed.

WANT HELP TO-DAY.

The 17 advertisements for help published in to-day's Times-Dispatch page 10 are as follows: 1 Salesman, 6 Trades,

2 Domestics, 8 Miscellaneous.

This not only interests those out of work, but those desiring to improve their positions as well.

RICHMONDERS GIVE LIBERALLY

Checks for Ten and Fifteen Thousand Dollars Handed Y. M. C. A. Secretary.

TRANSFERRED

Richmond Y. M. C. A .- Campaign for Building Fund.

mal transfer to its new owners was made of the Seventh and Grace Street property, which will in the course of the finest Y. M. C. A. building in all the

definitely known yesterday for the first time, when It was officially stated that the present plans contemplate the erec \$130,000. The site has been secured at an expenditure of a little over \$40,000

Board to Meet.

The Board of Directors of the associ-ation will meet to-night and take prompt steps to arrange plans for the proposed new buildings. This session of the board Is expected to develop the movement in its full force. It is allifely that several meetings of citizens will be called. Designs will be prepared and definite information as to the character of building contemplated will be laid before the size of missions at home and abroad. A hearing will be given to the interests of the Union Theological Seminary, of the Union T is expected to develop the movement

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AMERIGAN SAILORS

SYNOD BEGINS

A Host of Presbyterian Will Gather in Richmond to Attend Great Meeting.

SERMON BY DR. M'CLUER

Second Presbyterian Church Will

Be Seat of Convention. Services Daily.

The Presbyterian Synod of Virginia wil pegin its one hundred and eighteenth terian Church, of this city, at 8 o'clock o-night. This synod embraces the men hers and churches of the Southern Presbyterian Church in Virginia, West Virginia and Maryland. There will probably be over three hundred members enrolled, making a very large and inter esting assembly of able ministers and prominent laymen. In addition to the members, many visitors, including mis sionaries, secretaries and others will be

present.

The opening sermon will be preached by the retiring moderator, Rev. Dr. A. B. McCluer, of Norfolk, who will also be the chairman at the election of a new mod-

noon the synod will be entertained at a reception to be given at the Union Theo-logical Seminary.

Important Matters.

Many interesting subjects will be brought before the synod, but in the main attention will be directed to the

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His Holiness Receives Them Cordially and Extends Some

PAY VISIT TO POPE

Sound Advice.

ROME, October 25.—The Pope to-day received Lieutenant Frank E. Ridgley, Paymaster Hugh R. Insley, Professor William Snyder Elchelberger and Pro-fessor Frank Bowers Littell, of the Naval observations at Washington, and fortyeight Catholic sallors of the United
States cruiser Minneapolis now at Naples.
They were conducted to the Vatican by
Chaplain Johnson McC. Bellews, His
Holiness, who was dressed entirely in
white, received the Americans in the
Hall of the Consilory. To each he cape he
for the office of the nation's Chief Execuwhite, received the Americans in the Hall of the Consitory. To each he gave his hand to kiss, while he spoke kind words, especially to the officers. Addressing the sailors, he said, he was glad of the opportunity to enjoin upon them "the hecessity of obedience to the government, and to their superflors, as by such obedience, capable sullors and soldiers are made."

When the Pope left the hall, the sailors saluted him with three hearty cheers, which resounded through the Vatican.

for the office of the nation's Chief Executive.

"I am satisfied with my present place and shall be pleased to remain in the Cabinet as long as I can," added Mr. Taft.

The Post adds that Secretary Taft's statement was called forth by published reports in connection with his recent Akron, Ohio, speech, that he has presidential ambitions.

|TAFT SAYS HE WON'T RUN FOR PRESIDENT

Secretary of War Has No Intention of Leaving Cabinet to Campaign.

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, D. C., October 25 .- The Post to-morrow will quote Secretary

Taft as saying:

PETERSBURG A CITY OF FLAGS

The Stars and Bars Entwined With Old Glory.

OLD CONFEDERATES CAPTURE THE CITY

Grand Gathering of Veterans and Sons and Daughters - The Battle of the Crater Today Will Draw An Immense

perhaps too commonplace to say that this and I do not just now call to mind two words that can express conditions more lo it, but it has three words, and that

sand and more visitors to Petersburg, and about doubled its population for the time

greatest of modern wars of any previous meeting of the Grand Camp. It has also brought together the largest numbers of Sons of Veterans and Daughters of the Confederacy that have ever before mel at annual reunions.

To-Day is the Day

And yet the knowing ones say that the rowds here to-day are but small con-It has been announced far and near that the famous battle of the Crater will be Tought in mimic warfare to-morrow, and that this realistic representation of the tragedy of forty-one years also will be the crowning feature of the eighteenth annua reunion none can doubt, unless the weather puts a damper upon it. The ot, sunny day, and everybody is hoping that the harmless representation of it

o pop has not yet been determined. It is the writer's opinion that all the policemen Petersburg ever saw would not be able to hold them back.

To-day's Parade.

and along this street to the city limits. There the parade proper will disband, and the crowds will go a quarter of a mile on foot to the Crater battlefield where companies of the Seventicth and Seventy-first Regiments, Virginia State troops, about 500 in all, will reproduce the Crater fight.

The Grand Camp Meets.

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The Grand Camp met ut noon in the Academy of Music in its eighteenth annual reunion. The old Vets formed under the lendership of A. P. Hill Camp on Tabb Street, and led by a drumcorps, with old Jeff Shields, of Staunton. Stonewall Jackson's colored cook, in the lead, made a short parade, winding up et the Academy of Music, which they entered in a body.

The Academy of Music, a building entirely too small for such a meeting, was packed in a short while. Veterans, the regular delegates, occupied the front seats in the parquet, and others wearing the true colors filed in behind. Daughters and Mothers of the Confederacy occupied the boxes and as much of the dress circle as they required. The balance of the house was filled to a jam with Veterans and Sons of Veterans.

The Mt. Olive Band, of Strasburg, set the whole house in an uproar with 'Dixle,' and such another cheering and The Mt. Olive Band, of Strasburg, set the whole house in an unroar with 'Dixle." and such another cheering and such another waving of flugs are hard to remember. If they even occurred. When the music had died away, and the hurraling had subsided, order was restored, and, just as the clock struck if. Grand Commander R. H. Harwood. of Petersburg, called the eighteenth annual reunion of the Grand Camp. Concederate Veterans of Virginia, to order, and asked the chaplain-general, Rev. Dr. Hyde, of Winchester, to lead in prayer, which he did in most fervent and eloquet mannet.

Florid Eloquence.

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The first session, as usual, was taken up with speeches of welcome and responses, followed with a decidedly new feature, an oration by a charming and cloquent young woman, a daughter of a Confederate soldier and an enthusiasa Confederate soldier and an enthusias-tic Daughter of the Confederacy, Miss Elizabeth Elliott Lumpkin, of Columbia, S. C., was the fair speaker, whose ora-tion. "The Confederate Soldier," set the old soldiers wild, and it is no wonder that by a rising vote and a modern re-production of the famous "rebel yel," they adopted her as a daughter of the Grand Camp of Virginia. Immediately